

**WRITTEN AGREEMENT**  
**OFFICER AFFILIATION BONUS ADDENDUM**

**ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

In connection with my affiliation with the Army National Guard of the United States under the Selected Reserve Incentive Program, I hereby acknowledge that:

1. I meet the eligibility criteria, as follows:
  - a. I agree to serve in the Selected Reserve in a critical officer skill, unit, or pay grade that is designated for bonus entitlement by the Secretary of the Army or his delegate.
  - b. I agree to complete AOC/MOS training, if required when affiliating for service in an AOC/MOS other than that which I currently hold, within 36 months of affiliation date.
  - c. I am currently serving on active duty (AD) for more than 30 days or I am a member of a Reserve component not on active duty and, if I previously served on active duty, I was released from that duty under honorable conditions.
  - d. I have not previously served in the Selected Reserve.
  - e. I am not entitled to retired or retainer pay.
  - f. I am not affiliating to qualify for a military technician position where membership in a Reserve component is a condition of employment (a one time temporary assignment as a military technician is excluded) or an Active Guard and Reserve (AGR) position.
  - g. I have not previously received an affiliation bonus for service in the Selected Reserve.
  - h. I am not currently receiving financial assistance under chapters 1608, 1609, or 1611, of title 10, United States Code, or special pay under section 302g of title 37, United States Code, and will not receive such assistance during the period of this agreement.
2. I shall incur the obligations of this affiliation, as follows:
  - a. I hereby agree to serve in the Selected Reserve for not less than three years, the full period of this agreement.
  - b. I shall serve satisfactorily, as prescribed by the appropriate regulations of the Army National Guard of the United States, the complete affiliation period in the Selected Reserve of the Army National Guard of the United States according to my written agreement and in the critical skill, unit or grade in which affiliated, unless excused for the convenience of the government.
3. I shall be paid an affiliation bonus, as follows:

- a. The bonus accrues beginning on the date on which I am assigned to a designated position, unit, or pay grade pursuant to this agreement.
  - b. I shall receive a bonus of \$6,000 paid in one lump sum upon my assignment to the designated position, unit, or pay grade pursuant to this agreement.
4. If I fail to commence or complete the service obligation incurred under this agreement for any of the reasons listed below, I understand that recoupment or entitlement to a portion of the bonus amount will be calculated in accordance with paragraph 5 below:
- a. If I fail to participate satisfactorily in training and duty with the Selected Reserve including failure to maintain medical and dental readiness, during the entire period of service obligation, unless the failure to participate satisfactorily was due to reasons beyond my control (e.g., death, injury, illness, or other impairment not the result of my own misconduct).
  - b. If I am involuntarily separated from the Selected Reserve unless as a result of unit inactivation, unit relocation, unit reorganization, or a DoD-directed reduction in the Selected Reserve force.
  - c. If I voluntarily separate from the Selected Reserve for any reason (including enlistment or voluntary order to active duty in the active forces); other than by death, injury, illness or other impairment not the result of my own misconduct, or an involuntary call-up or mobilization.
  - d. If I voluntarily move to a non-bonus skill, unit or grade, unless the move is required by the Reserve component.
  - e. If I fail to extend the contracted term of service for a period of authorized nonavailability.
  - f. If I accept a military technician position where membership in a Reserve component is a condition of employment, (a one time temporary assignment as a military technician for 6 months or less is excluded) or an AGR position
5. The amount to be recouped or final payment shall be computed as follows:
- a. The number of months I have served satisfactorily during the term for which my bonus has been paid shall be multiplied by the monthly rate authorized by the particular bonus (calculated by dividing the total bonus amount by the number of months of service the member has agreed to serve).
  - b. That amount shall be subtracted from the total amount of bonus paid to date (initial and any subsequent payments).

c. If the calculation indicates overpayment to me, I shall refund that amount to the government of the United States. If the calculation indicates that I have earned more than I have been paid, I shall receive a final payment in that amount.

6. Termination from bonus entitlement and/or any refund made by me shall not affect my period of obligation to serve in the Ready Reserve.

7. If, subsequent to completing this agreement and affiliating with the Selected Reserve, I am called or ordered to active duty, I shall be paid, during that period of active duty, any amount of the bonus that becomes payable to me during that period of active duty.

### **UNDERSTANDING**

I have read and understand each of the statements above and the statements contained in this agreement signed by me, and understand that they are intended to constitute all promises or agreements whatsoever concerning my affiliation. No other promise, representation, or commitment has been made to me in connection with my affiliation bonus.

### **AUTHENTICATION**

Signature of service representative and date:\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of service member and date:\_\_\_\_\_

Typed name and grade of witnessing officer:\_\_\_\_\_

Signature and date:\_\_\_\_\_

Bonus Control Number:\_\_\_\_\_